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The average daily circulation of the Barre Daily Times for the week ending Saturday was

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copies, the largest paid circulation of any daily paper in this section.

It was not only President Roosevelt who was de-lighted at the Vermont election return, but the Republican national committee expressed the same sort of pleasure.

Two hundred editors visited Alton B. Parker yesterday. Two hundred fervid appeals in printer's ink will now be heard, probably.

At about the same time Vermont Republicans were rolling up a plurality of 31,000, the Democratic plurality of 40,000 in Arkansas was being cut into heavily. The results were decidedly too one-sided to make an exciting contest.

The unseasonably biennial scramble for the legislative chairmanships has begun again. One would rather like to feel that the cloth was above such horse-shedding, lobbying, and buttonholing as these little one-hoss contests inevitably result in.—St. Albans Messenger.

With only two men having come forward for the position as chaplain, it cannot reasonably be called an "unseasonably scramble." Besides if the seekers after the chaplain's position did not announce themselves who would know about it? The wearers of the cloth really have as much justification in making public their desires, as the men who wish to be seated in the general assembly. There has been no scramble yet and The Times trusts there will be none.

A COMMENDABLE MOVE.

The time to prevent accidents is before they happen. Everybody ought to know that, and undoubtedly they do. But knowing it, they overlook its importance. The state railroad commissioners and the city council of Montpelier know the fact fully and furthermore they are preparing to make that realization of some value. They are about to abolish some bad grade crossings on the railroad lines between this city and Montpelier—that is, we are led to believe that they are going to do so through the inspection of the situation and the meeting of the board yesterday. The crossings are at the point called Tabor's and the danger from them should be removed. That no serious accident has occurred at this point does not lessen in the least the chance that accidents may occur there. The possibility should be reduced to a minimum at any rate.

IT'S TIME FOR REPUBLICANS TO DO SOMETHING.

It's time for the Republicans of Vermont to cease their exultation over their great victory of last Tuesday and get down to serious reflection of the things that are required of them this coming fall. They swept the state as usual. So much is theirs; and they have reason for congratulating themselves on the result. But there is something beyond a mere victory at the polls. That something the Republicans are likely to lose sight of in the natural pleasure over a well fought battle. But they must not lose sight of it. The Republican convention last June adopted a platform which commended itself to the people for its manifest intention to right some defects in the laws of the state. It was generally received as a platform that said something. To be sure there was nothing but promises there could be nothing else than promises in such an instrument. But these promises formed an earnest of what the Republicans intended to do when the opportunity came. With the completion of the fall election Tuesday the time has come for the actual planning for carrying out the provisions of the platform adopted. The opportunity is here. Next month the state legislature will convene at Montpelier and will be in session for two months. From now to the fall of the gavel in the next House and Senate it is the bounden duty of the Republicans elected to the legislature to plan what they will do; and it might be said that the Democrats as well are required by their platform to do the same. But if the latter do not, it makes no reasonable excuse for inactivity on the part of the dominating party. As F. W. Clement has well said, if the legislature of 1904 passes without an attempt, at least, to carry out the promises of the Republican state platform the Republican party cannot look the voters of Vermont in the face two years from now and ask for their votes. It would be rank hypocrisy. It is time for the Republican party of Vermont to be doing something, now.



School Suits—just a bit better than one would expect at the price—perhaps a good bit better than can be found elsewhere, because our Department for Boys' Clothing is our strong point.

We take time to find the best and we take the money and buy it—the mothers appreciate good clothing for "good boys."

Reefers, Russian and Sailor Suits, Tourists and Automobile Overcoats, Norfolk, single and double-breasted, all the new styles, \$1.50 to \$6.50.

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ABOUT THE STATE.

Items of Interest Gleaned From Our Exchanges.

The Rev. D. L. Hilliard, representative elect from Cabot, announces himself as a candidate for the chaplaincy of the next house of representatives.

The Republican state headquarters were Wednesday closed in Burlington and moved to Middlebury. Chairman Thad M. Chapman returned to his home in Middlebury that night.

After voting until about midnight Tuesday evening the voters of Morrisville elected as town representative the Democratic candidate, C. L. Bates. Regardless of the lateness of the hour, enthusiastic citizens, headed by the Morrisville band, marched to Mr. Bates' home and received a gracious reception.

Cards have been received in Brattleboro announcing the marriage, Monday of E. H. Miller of Dummerston, and Miss Florence Sears of Boston. Mr. Miller is well known through the state as a baritone singer of unusual ability, and also made many friends while state senator from Windham county four years ago.

The eleventh annual picnic of the Buffalo society of Vermonters was held at Delaware Park in the city of Buffalo, N. Y., Saturday afternoon, September 3. From three to five o'clock an informal reception was held in the grove adjoining the boathouse, on the same spot where the society has assembled annually and exchanged greetings, the baskets containing the good things to eat were carried to the private dining room of the restaurant in the boat house. The tables were laid by the women, hot tea and coffee were served by the caterer, and the time was spent was spent in listening to impromptu speeches and recitations until dark, when the members dispersed to assemble next winter when the annual banquet is held.

After one of the hottest elections held in Randolph for a number of years Dana H. Morse was elected as town representative on the fourth ballot. There were four candidates in the field and all had their share of staunch supporters but the voting was carried on in a very orderly manner. J. B. Wells, the other leading candidate, led in the first ballot, having 248; D. A. Morse, 228; J. B. Adams, 160; and D. E. Sargent Democrat, 58. After the first ballot Morse gained steadily and Wells held his own until the last ballot when Morse won out by about 75 majority. After the election Mr. Morse took the floor and thanked his friends and supporters and extended to them an invitation to an informal reception to be held at his home on Thursday evening, September 8.

Saturday's electric storm was one of the worst ever known in Charlotte. A cow was killed and a barn was struck on the W. N. Newell farm. A barn was struck on what used to be known as the Timothy Stebbins farm. John L. Whalley had three cattle killed in his pasture near the depot. There was insurance on all the property injured or killed. A strange coincidence connected with the striking of Timothy Stebbins' farm barn is that this is the third barn on the adjoining farms on the same street that has been struck by lightning. First was the barn struck and burned for F. M. Hubbell, then on the Peter Stebbins' farm, the next one south, and the Timothy Stebbins' barn, now owned by Francis W. Humphrey, by Saturday's storm. The F. M. Hubbell barn was burned 8 or 10 years ago. The Peter Stebbins' barn two years ago.

JINGLES AND JESTS.

Caution.
Speak gently to the wealthy man,
Because his friends are few,
And if you're kind, why, then, perhaps,
He'll make a friend of you.
—Newark News.

A Careful Hat Raiser.
"Do you take off your hat to women in elevators?"
"Certainly not—unless I know them."
—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

At Last.
The lord that she got had a past
Which, putting it mildly, was shady.
Naive to the limit, "At last."
She proudly exclaimed, "I'm a lady!"
—Baltimore News.

A. A. SMITH & BRO.

Custom Suit Department

Suits and Overcoats made to your measure at prices from \$12.50 up. Every man who takes pride in his personal appearance will appreciate the graceful outlines of our Made-to-measure Suits, at the same price as you would pay for a ready-made garment of inferior workmanship. Fit and satisfaction guaranteed.

Fall Hats and Caps

This department is most complete with the latest designs in Soft and Stiff Hats, including the wide brim, low crown Tourist, in the Japanese colors.

Money-Saving Shoe Sale

Lot of Shoes in Patent Leather, Vici Kid, Velour and Box Calf, would be good values at \$3.00 or \$3.50, to close at \$1.98 per pair.

Lot Shoes, regular \$3.00 \$3.50 and \$3.75 grades, in all leathers, at \$2.49 per pair.

Lot of \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$5.50 Shoes, including broken lots of Elite and Stetson Shoes, to go at \$2.98.

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MEN'S OUTFITTERS
Miles Granite Block,
Barre, - - Vermont

Press Echoes.
Our election laws should be modified, so as to permit a plurality to elect the town or city representative, in all places having more than a thousand voters.
—Burlington Free Press.

The Republicans of Vermont were in the saddle yesterday. It was a Republican day from Newport to Bennington. The majority for Charles J. Bell and the ticket he headed was over 31,000. This is glad news to send out to the Republicans in other states who regard Vermont's early vote on the state ticket as an index by which to forecast the general presidential result in November. Vermont has "made good," and the country at large will follow its example two months hence.—Rutland News.

There will be no misunderstanding this vote by the country at large today. The Democrats will read in its unexpected majority the handwriting on the wall that foretells the defeat of their candidate by a tidal wave of public sentiment. The Republicans will read in the same figures a magnificent tribute to the man Roosevelt, a ringing endorsement of his administration, and the omen of a victory in November that will smash the musty precedents of history.—St. Albans Messenger.

The victory is emphatic. If there was apathy at the public meetings, there was none at the polls. The ballot box boomed with the enthusiasm that tells. The message Vermont is sending out to the embattled Republicans of the nation will inspire them with the courage, the confidence, the resolution the embattled colonists drew from the capture of Ticonderoga and the victory at Bennington—foreshadowing Republican triumph in November, as the exploits of the Green Mountain Boys foretold the ultimate success of the Revolution.—Montpelier Journal.

Having escaped a landslide in a rock-ribbed Republican state, the Republican managers will breathe somewhat more freely and Republican newspapers will indulge in vociferous exultation—for a time. Then they will begin to realize that the presidential campaign still remains to be fought. The Republicans of Vermont had in Charles J. Bell a candidate who was in himself an incentive for voting. He is a farmer, one of the plain people, whose candidacy was peculiarly acceptable, because he is neither a rich outsider nor the choice of the machine. It was Charles J. Bell and not Theodore Roosevelt that the Republicans of Vermont voted for last Monday. No national issue was involved, and the result will not in any way affect a single doubtful state.—Manchester N. H. Union.



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Tuesday, Sept. 13.

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See—The Thrilling Fire Scenes.
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Diagram of Reserved Seats at the People's Shoe Store.

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For the past five years has been successful in curing diseases where all other efforts have failed. He uses no medicines and only employs his marvelous magnetic powers to remove disease and correct all physical errors. Patients can be treated at their homes or at his office.

Consultation Free.
Terms reasonable. All are cordially invited to visit him.

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82 Maple Avenue, Barre, Vt.

Six Days' Alteration Sale!

From Tuesday, September 6th,
To Tuesday, Sept. 13th.

The office and printing press of The Barre Daily Times have been moved and we shall make alterations in our store which will give us more room and better conveniences for serving our customers.

Before making alterations it will be necessary for us to reduce our stock to make more room for our fall business. We offer special bargains all through the store which we feel confident the people will appreciate.

These are all goods you need every day and it will pay you to purchase while the prices are low, as we cannot duplicate goods at these prices after the sale closes.

A LEW OF THE MANY BARGAINS.

One case 7c Unbleached Cotton, per yard..... 8c
One lot short lengths in 8c Bleached Cotton, per yard..... 64c
One lot short lengths Fruit of the Loom Cotton, per yard..... 10c
15c Bath Towels for this sale, each..... 10c
25c Hemstitched Towels for this sale, each..... 17c
40c Hemstitched Towels for this sale, each..... 25c
75c Table Damask for this sale, per yard..... 49c
\$1.00 Table Damask for this sale, per yard..... 60c
\$1.25 Table Damask for this sale, per yard..... 78c
3-4 Napkins to match, per dozen..... \$1.75
One lot colored Dotted Swiss, the 15c kind, per yard..... 74c
One lot Lace Stripe Mullin, per yard..... 8c
One lot Mercerized Stripe Walzing, the 40c kind, per yard..... 25c
One case 69c heavy Blankets for this sale, each..... 55c
10 pieces 52-in. Sicilian Cloth, a beautiful cloth for ladies' dresses, black, blue and brown, per yd., 50c
One piece 27-inch Black Taffeta Silk, \$1.00 quality, this sale, per yard..... 85c
One piece 19-inch Black Taffeta Silk, 75c quality, this sale, per yard..... 69c
\$1.25 Warranted Kid Gloves, this sale, per pair..... 1.00
25c Lace Collars, this sale, each..... 15c
35c and 50c Lace Collars, this sale, each..... 25c

New Furs (not one left over), new Belts, new Bags, new Neckwear, new Sweaters, new Tams, new Walking Skirts, new Petticoats, new Outing Flannels. All go in this sale at special prices. Remember this sale begins Tuesday morning, Sept. 6th.

Look Out For the Alteration/Sale Flyers.

THE VAUGHAN STORE

Saturday Sale at Corner Store

Muslin Corset Covers and Drawers.

Perhaps you might think it a bit late to expect much enthusiasm in Muslin Underwear selling, but we have got a quantity of Drawers and Covers that we are going to sell Saturday for 25c each that we believe it requires but a look to convince you that there's economy in buying them. (All sizes in each.)

Hosiery at 10 and 15c a Pair.

Ten dozen 25c Novelties at..... 15c per pair to close
Ten dozen 15c Novelties at..... 10c per pair to close
New Comforters are here in every conceivable quality from \$1.00 to \$8.50

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FALL HATS.

If it's a swell label you want inside your Hat, they are \$5.00 each at any store. If it's \$5.00 style and service you want, you can get it here in our Guyer \$3.00 Stiff or Soft Hats. We have in stock all the latest shapes and shades.

MOORE & OWENS,

122 North Main St., Barre, Vermont.

150-Pound Soap Sale!

At 15 Cents Per Pound

Until disposed of. This is the best CASTILE SOAP on the market. Made from pure olive oil. Buy today.

E. A. DROWN,

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